Defense Cages Tigers, 17-3

Lincoln, NE. — Chalk up one for the defense.

That's what the Nebraska football team did last Saturday on a rainy afternoon in Memorial Stadium.

The Cornhusker defense caused and recovered two fumbles which led to a pair of touchdowns, and Nebraska defeated Auburn, 17-3, before a record non-conference game crowd of 76,423.

"We played real hard on defense. We forced some turnovers and they gave us some. On defense, it was almost a night-and-day difference from the Penn State game," NU head coach Tom Osborne said.

Nebraska's defense snapped Auburn's wishbone offense, allowing the Tigers just 55 yards rushing in 52 attempts. The Cornhuskers recovered five fumbles and intercepted two passes.

Nebraska didn't score in the first half, but the Cornhuskers wasted little time after the intermission, getting on the board when Kevin Seibel kicked a 39-yard field goal.

The key turnovers were second-half fumble recoveries by defensive end Jimmy Williams and safety Jeff Krejci. Williams forced the fumble he recovered, giving Nebraska the ball at the Auburn 4-yard line. Two plays later Roger Craig, the game's leading rusher with 87 yards on 22 carries, scored on a three-yard run.

Krejci's fumble recovery came late in the fourth quarter and gave the Cornhuskers the ball at the Auburn nine-yard line to set up quarterback Turner Gill's eight-yard touchdown with 3:51 remaining.

It had to be a big lift to the Huskers to see that record crowd in Memorial Stadium despite the rain and despite the loss to Penn State here the week before. The Nebraska defense rebounded superbly in the game, apparently accepting the challenge to improve after the 30 points Penn State scored. The Black Shirts were nothing short of spectacular at times, with several Auburn possessions ending up in minus yardage. It was the type of effort which could carry NU right on through to a Big Eight championship and berth in the Orange Bowl, with the league now apparently thrown wide open by the 7-7 tie played between Oklahoma and Iowa State in Norman.

NEBRASKA 17, AUBURN 3

How They Scored

AU-NU		Time Left
	FIRST QUARTER	
3-0	Field Goal, DelGreco 52 **Drive:** 36 yards in 5 plays.	6:28
	SECOND QUARTER	
No		scoring.
	THIRD QUARTER	
3-3	Field Goal, Seibel 39 **Drive:** 39 yards in 9 plays.	9:10
3-10	Craig 3 run (Seibel kick) **Drive:** 4 yards in 2 plays.	8:25
	FOURTH QUARTER	
3-17	Gill 8 run (Seibel kick) **Drive:** 9 yards in 3 plays.	3:51

Attendance: 76,423.



Turner Gill (12) finds the seam and heads up field for a nine-yard touchdown run.

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Please Rush!



Mark Mauer (17) puts a pass in the air that helps set up a third-quarter NU field goal.



Jimmy Williams (96) hits the Auburn quarterback and forces a fumble in the third quarter which he recovers.



Tony Felici (46) sacks the Auburn quarterback as the Nebraska Black Shirts dominate the Tigers.



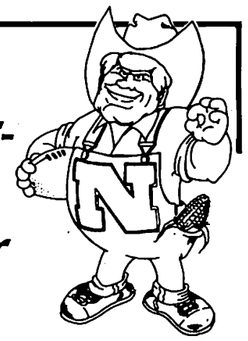
Jeff Merrell chases down Auburn's quarterback.



Turner Gill (12) gets loose on a keeper around his left end.

All Photos by Randy Hampton

Locker-room Chatter



The Huskers

Tom Osborne, head coach — "I'm thankful for the way the players pulled together. I was very pleased with the way our defense came along. They really held us in there. My main concern was that Auburn would three, four and five-yard us to death. It didn't happen. We set a goal of getting four turnovers and we got seven."

George Darlington, defensive ends coach — "This gives us a win a lot of people will attribute to the defense. We gave up 150 yards, but Auburn had to move the ball left-handed to get most of those 150. Our game plan was to attack, be aggressive and make things happen."

Jimmy Williams, defensive end — "After I heard our game plan, I knew there was no way in the world that I couldn't have a great day. My eyeballs just got wide. When they turn the defensive ends loose, that's my kind of scheme. I loved it."

Tony Felici, defensive end — "We were prepared. They let us go. We were slanting 85 percent of the time. We were really coming after them. We hit the fullback before he even got a chance to get started. That takes some pressure off the interior linemen."

Turner Gill, quarterback — "The big problem with this offense is turnovers. Every week, something's been missing. We move the ball up and down the field, but it seems like there's a fumble, an interception or a penalty every time. Once those mistakes are eliminated, we can run the score up and be as good as ever."

Mike Rozier, I-back — "I think the rain had something to do with our offensive problems. We don't worry about points. The purpose is to win. That's the object of the game and that's why we practice so hard all week. It doesn't matter if it's one point or a half-point, as long as we win."

The Tigers

Pat Dye, head coach — "I think it was obvious, if you saw the game like I did, defensively we played about as well as we could play. I know they gained a good many yards. As far as a total effort, making things happen, I don't know what we had to do to keep them out of the end zone. Nebraska's defense just manhandled us. I really thought we would move the football against Nebraska better than we did. We just didn't get any movement up front. Our offensive line just got whipped. I think all the credit for this football game, the win and the loss, should go to Nebraska's defensive front."

Danny Skutack, linebacker — "Nebraska's offense is hard-hitting, and if you don't stay low, you're on your can all day. I learned that the hard way when that No.50 (center Dave Rimington) smacked me a couple of times."

Ron O'Neal, fullback — "I think Nebraska was everything I expected. We were ahead 3-0 at halftime, but I didn't feel like we were in good shape. They played well the second half and offensive mistakes hurt us."

Mark Dorminey, safety — "We knew Nebraska was not used to losing. We knew they'd be ready, and we were fired up."

Injury Report

Nebraska's injury report following the Cornhuskers' 17-3 win over Auburn was the most encouraging of the season.

NU Head Physical Therapist George Sullivan said defensive tackle Henry Waechter re-sprained an ankle and defensive tackle Toby Williams bruised his leg. Neither injury, however, is considered serious.

Linebacker Steve McWhirter has made good progress from his opening-game knee injury. He has returned to Nebraska practices and hopes to play this week against Colorado.

Season Stats

TEAM

	Neb.	Opp.
First downs rushing	55	37
First downs passing	14	15
First downs penalty	0	4
TOTAL FIRST DOWNS	69	56
Attempts rushing	228	201
Yards gained rushing	1227	754
Yards lost rushing	90	149
NET YARDS RUSHING	1137	605
Passes attempted	63	60
Passes completed	26	32
Passes had intercepted	6	3
NET YARDS PASSING	304	383
Total plays	291	261
TOTAL YARDAGE	1441	988
Interception return yards	69	64
Punts-Yards	17-738	27-1279
Punting average	43.4	47.4
Punts had blocked	0	1
Punt returns-yards	13-200	5-53
Kickoff returns-yds.	9-172	5-49
Penalties-yards	21-199	17-114
Fumbles-fumbles lost	18-12	22-13

INDIVIDUAL RUSHING

	att.	yds.	lost	net yds.	avg.	long gain	
Roger Craig	84	524	5	519	6.2	94	FS
Phil Bates	36	216	4	212	5.9	27	FS
Mike Rozier	41	214	2	212	5.2	23	Ia
Nate Mason	25	101	15	86	3.4	14	PS

SCORING

	TD	FG	2-PAT	PAT	pts.
Roger Craig	4	—	—	—	24
Kevin Seibel	—	2-5	—	10-10	16
Tony Felici	1	—	—	—	6
Irving Fryar	1	—	—	—	6
Nate Mason	1	—	—	—	6
Eddie Neil	—	2-3	—	—	6
Ja. Williams	1	—	—	—	6
Scott Woodard	1	—	—	—	6
Turner Gill	1	—	—	—	6

SCORE BY QUARTERS

OPPONENTS	13	24	3	17	— 57
NEBRASKA	10	10	38	24	— 82

DEFENSIVE STATISTICS
(all games)

	unassisted tackles	assisted tackles	total	tackle for loss
LINEMEN				
Tony Felici	21	9	30	5-23
Jeff Merrell	17	13	30	1-4
Jimmy Williams	20	8	28	5-12
LINEBACKERS				
Brent Evans	24	29	53	0-0
Steve Damkroger	20	23	43	1-1
Steve McWhirter	1	1	2	0-0
BACKS				
Jeff Krejci	14	10	24	0-0
Rodney Lewis	11	5	16	1-1
Allen Lyday	8	4	12	0-0

PASS RECEIVING

	caught	yds.	avg.	TD
Ja Williams	11	152	13.8	1
Roger Craig	5	26	5.2	0
Todd Brown	4	41	10.3	0

Game Stats

TEAM

	Aub.	Neb.
First downs rushing	8	14
First downs passing	3	2
First downs penalty	1	0
TOTAL FIRST DOWNS	12	16
Attempts rushing	52	64
Yards gained rushing	129	281
Yards lost rushing	74	24
NET YARDS RUSHING	55	257
Passes attempted	10	15
Passes completed	5	6
Passes had intercepted	2	2
NET YARDS PASSING	95	50
Total plays	62	79
TOTAL YARDAGE	150	307
Interception return yards	44	41
Punts-Yards	7-310	5-251
Punting average	44.3	50.2
Punts blocked	0	0
Punt returns-yards	0-0	3-39
Kickoff returns-yds.	0-0	1-31
Penalties-yards	5-26	6-80
Fumbles-fumbles lost	10-5	3-2

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

Rushing

Aub. — Thomas 26 carries for 1 yard, 0 TD, 30 yard long gain; James 4 for 19, 0, 7; O'Neal 14 for 22, 0, 4; Hobby 3 for 0, 0, 1; Peoples 4 for 10, 0, 5; Woods 1 for 3, 0, 3.

NEBRASKA — Mauer 5 carries for -3 yards, 0 TD, 3 yard long gain; Craig 22 for 87, 1, 8; Bates 12 for 68, 0, 16; Gill 8 for 20, 1, 8; Rozier 15 for 76, 0, 16; Steels 2 for 8, 0, 9.

Passing

Aub. — Thomas 5 completions, 10 attempts for 95 yards, 2 int., 30 yard long play.

NEBRASKA — Mauer 5 completions, 9 attempts for 41 yards, 1 int., 18 yard long play; Gill 1 completion, 6 attempts for 9 yards, 1 int., 9 yard long play.

Receiving

Aub. — Woods 1 catch for 30 yards; Edwards 1 for 14; West 3 for 51.

NEBRASKA — J. Williams 3 catches for 26 yards; Steels 1 for 5; Brown 2 for 19.

Punting

Aub. — Bollinger 7 kicks for 310 yards, 44.3 avg.;

NEBRASKA — Campbell 5 kicks for 251 yards, 50.2 avg.

Kick Returns

Aub. — No punt or kickoff returns; King 2 intercept returns for 44 yards.

NEBRASKA — Fryar 2 punt returns for 21 yards; Lyday 1 intercept return for 18 yards; Steels 1 kickoff return for 31 yards; Lindquist 1 punt return for 18 yards, 1 intercept return for 23 yards.

Defensive

Aub. — Williams 2 unassisted, 6 assisted for 8 tackles; Nelson 4-6 for 10; Aughtman 5-2 for 7; Humphrey 5-0 for 5; Hardy 2-2 for 4; Thomas 2-2 for 4; Jackson 3-3 for 6; Shutack 11-4 for 15; Carr 2-0 for 2; Martin 9-4 for 13; King 4-2 for 6; Dorminey 10-5 for 15; Harris 3-1 for 4; Tutt 3-1 for 4; Drinkard 3-0 for 3; Collier 2-2 for 4; Cheeks 1-2 for 3.

NEBRASKA — Stromath 3 unassisted, 2 assisted for 5 tackles; J. Williams 11-1 for 12; T. Williams 0-2 for 2; Merrell 6-6 for 12; Waechter 3-3 for 6; Evans 5-6 for 11; Felici 7-2 for 9; Damkroger 4-7 for 11; Lewis 1-0 for 1; Krejci 3-0 for 3; Lyday 1-1 for 2; Sims 3-0 for 3; Lindquist 0-0 for 0; Ridder 2-2 for 4; Gdowski 0-1 for 1; Remmington 0-1 for 1.

The Way We See It...

Lyell Bremser
KFAB, Omaha

"I'm of the opinion that Nebraska's offense is about a half a step away from putting it all together. They just need to let their muscles hang loose. It's like hitting a golf shot. They're pressing instead of relaxing. Once they get a little loosey-goosey, somebody better watch out. It could be a heckuva blast. Everyone — the coaches, the players, the fans — knows the talent is there. Right now, it's just trying too hard. It'll start to loosen up this week. ***Nebraska 31, Colorado 7."***

The Huskers Say....
Huskers Illustated

"Nebraska's defense made the transition from good to outstanding between the Penn State and Auburn games and now the offense will make similar strides between Auburn and Colorado. Once everything comes together, the Huskers will have the best football team in the Big Eight Conference. It all starts this week. ***Nebraska 31, Colorado 7."***

Virgil Parker
sports editor, Lincoln Journal and Star

"If you analyze Nebraska's last half dozen touchdowns, the Huskers have been scoring more on the big play or the breaks than their traditional ability to sustain a long drive. It hasn't been happening, but it will happen. Just because Nebraska has won 13 straight from Colorado doesn't make it automatic. But the Huskers finally will put their offensive act together to start the Big Eight race in full gear. ***Nebraska 35, Colorado 7."***

Bobby Anderson
KBOL Radio, Boulder

"Colorado is starting to show promise. CU is a sophomore-dominated team with a great future, but is still two years away from being the team it wants to be. The Buffs should be 2-2. They have the potential to go and win a game like they're getting ready to play. But right now, CU simply does not have the experience, the maturity, the ability or the depth. Nebraska would have to give up the ball a bunch, get some players hurt and have some officiating calls go against them. Colorado would have to play perfect and be lucky. Over the years, Oklahoma has a tendency to give things away, but not Nebraska. They're always so solid. I don't want to give a score, but if I'm pressed, I'll make a wild stab. ***Nebraska 35, Colorado 17."***

Dan Creedon
sports editor, Boulder Camera

"Colorado may be improved as much defensively as anybody in the country and no longer routinely gets blown out by top 20 teams. The Buffs, however, have been going downhill offensively since a 45-point season-opening explosion against Texas Tech and don't appear to be in Nebraska's class. So a 14th straight Husker victory over Colorado should come relatively easy, even considering Nebraska's current offensive problems. Colorado might be the right team for the Huskers to get well again. They might relax and have the kind of game everyone wants them to have and the kind of game they're capable of having. ***Nebraska 31, Colorado 14."***

Michael Knisley
Denver Post

"Colorado is a better team than last year, but it could still wind up with a 1-10 record. The frustration of the schedule started to show against UCLA. The Buffs were very lackluster on offense against the first reasonably good defense they've played this year. Their 45-yard touchdown drive was the only drive all day where they had more than one first down. Of their 161 total yards, only 54 were in the air and that had been CU's bread-and-butter. I think Nebraska has an easy shot at six touchdowns and 500 yards total offense. ***Nebraska 42, Colorado 14."***

Pete Letheby
sports editor, Grand Island Independent

"I'm like most people. I have a hunch this Nebraska team will jell and be the type of team it's always been. The Huskers may not get into big scores like the 40's and 50's, but once they get settled down, they should build some momentum and be a championship contender. ***Nebraska 35, Colorado 14."***

1981 Big 8 Standings

	CONF. W	L	T	PF	PA	ALL W	L	T	PF	PA
Kansas	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	72	53
Missouri	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	114	26
Oklahoma St.	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	0	48	44
Nebraska	0	0	0	0	0	2	2	0	82	61
Colorado	0	0	0	0	0	1	3	0	82	108
Kansas State	0	0	0	0	0	1	3	0	72	83
Iowa State	0	0	1	7	7	3	0	1	75	51
Oklahoma	0	0	1	7	7	1	1	1	68	55

Last Week's Scores

Iowa State 7, Oklahoma 7
Nebraska 17, Auburn 3
Missouri 14, Mississippi State 3
Kansas 17, Arkansas State 16
Oklahoma State 9, North Texas State 0
UCLA 27, Colorado 7
Tulsa 35, Kansas State 21

This Week's Games

Colorado at Nebraska
Oklahoma at Texas
Kansas State at Missouri
Oklahoma State at Kansas
Iowa State at San Diego State

NEBRASKA (2-2)

Sept. 12	at Iowa 7-10
Sept. 19	Florida State 34-14
Sept. 26	Penn State 24-30
Oct. 3	Auburn 17-3
Oct. 10	Colorado
Oct. 17	at Kansas State
Oct. 24	at Missouri
Oct. 31	Kansas
Nov. 7	at Oklahoma State
Nov. 14	Iowa St.
Nov. 21	at Oklahoma

COLORADO (1-3)

Sept. 12	Texas Tech 45-27
Sept. 19	Washington State 10-14
Sept. 26	Brigham Young 20-41
Oct. 3	at UCLA 7-27
Oct. 10	at Nebraska
Oct. 17	Oklahoma State
Oct. 24	at Iowa State
Oct. 31	at Oklahoma
Nov. 7	Missouri
Nov. 14	at Kansas
Nov. 21	Kansas State

Coach Osborne's Evaluation

After emerging from one of the best non-conference schedules in the country, Nebraska Coach Tom Osborne saw a positive sign develop before the Cornhuskers plunge into the Big Eight Conference season against Colorado.

In a 17-3 win over Auburn, Nebraska's Black Shirts played what Osborne described as their best game of the season and it couldn't have come at a better time.

"You won't do well in the Big Eight unless your defense plays well and I was really pleased with the way our defense played against Auburn," Osborne said.

"There was a night-and-day difference on defense between the Penn State and Auburn games," he said. "We played hard against Auburn, harder than any time this year. We forced a lot of their turnovers and they gave us some."

Osborne was particularly pleased with Nebraska's domination of the line of scrimmage. "Jeff Merrell, Henry Waechter and Toby Williams did a great job," he said. "Of course, we sent our ends after the quarterback and fullback and Jimmy Williams and Tony Felici both had great days."

"Our linebackers didn't get to do much tackling because everything was getting handled up front. The whole front seven played well. We were pleased about holding Auburn to 150 total yards."

Although the defense set up both NU second half touchdowns with fumble recoveries inside the Auburn 10-yard line, Osborne was not as unhappy with the Huskers' offensive production as most fans might suspect.

"Our offensive line played hard and did some good things and our backs ran hard," Osborne said. "Our lack of ability to sustain a drive was disturbing, but it was a hard day to play offense in the rain."

"We fumbled twice inside their 10, had 70 to 80 yards in passes dropped and three 15-yard penalties that stopped drives," Osborne pointed out. "You can't totally excuse those things because of the weather. But it was the kind of day where you stayed with pitch plays, isolations and traps because of the footing and ball handling."

Osborne realizes "people will be mad about the point production. We probably should have scored in the 30's. But Auburn is not a bad defensive football team. They had a couple linebackers, a noseguard and a safety who played great football. We blocked about as well as we could block on some plays and still only gained four yards."

The problem traces back "to something we've been harping on all season," Osborne said. "We just have to execute better on offense."

Besides the defense, Nebraska's nine-year head coach was encouraged with another area that is necessary to win in the Big Eight — the kicking game. "Against Auburn, Grant Campbell did the best job of punting since he's been here and Kevin Seibel looked like his old self," Osborne said, referring to Seibel's 39-yard third quarter field goal on his only attempt.

Osborne is hoping the tone has been set for the Big Eight opener against Colorado, a team Nebraska has beaten 13 straight times and 18 times in the last 19 years.

"Last year, we felt Colorado had one of the better offensive lines we played against," Osborne said. "We won (45-7), but we had to play hard. Until the UCLA game, Colorado had been moving the ball well. They had Texas Tech down, 35-7, at the half.

"Their loss to Washington State (14-10) was unbelievable," Osborne said. "Colorado had the game under control all the way until the last two minutes. They were ahead, 10-0, then had one of those nightmares where they couldn't get two punts off."

"Colorado," Osborne said, "is a better football team than it was last year — by two or three touchdowns. I think we can be a pretty good football team, but we haven't shown it yet. We've had flashes of being a good football team. I'm just hoping we can put it all together."

Osborne admitted he feels a little better about the season, looking at other scores. Iowa is 3-1. The Hawkeyes own a two-touchdown win over UCLA and a 64-0 triumph over Northwestern. Florida State, a 34-14 victim of Nebraska, is also 3-1 and claimed a 36-27 upset at seventh-ranked Ohio State last weekend.

"Penn State is an outstanding team and Florida State is a very good team," Osborne said. "Iowa and Auburn are both above average teams. Auburn should have come in here 3-0. They probably should have beaten Wake Forest and Tennessee. We still haven't played a weak team."

Even though Colorado is 1-3, Osborne does not consider the Buffs a weak team either. "They're a much, much better defensive team that they were last year," he said. "They still blitz you a lot and come at you with that defense where they put 11 men on the line of scrimmage and force you to do something."

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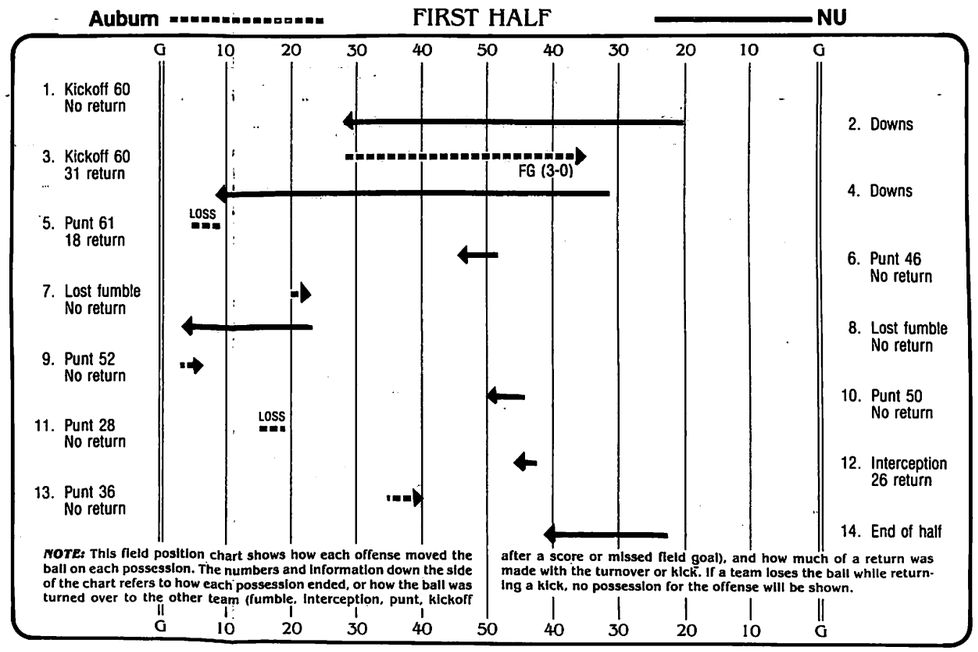
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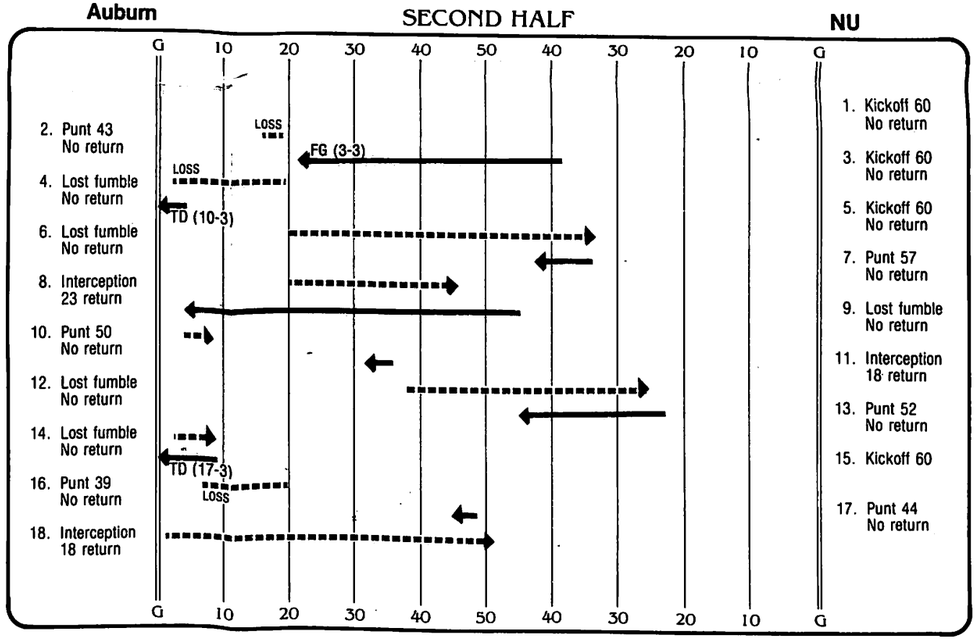
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Field Position



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The Lineups

TWO DEEP

NEBRASKA

DEFENSE

LE
96 Jimmy Williams, 6-3, 220, Sr.
87 Bill Weber, 6-2, 208, Fr.

LT
97 Toby Williams, 6-4, 255, Jr.
93 Tom Gdowski, 6-3, 244, Jr.

SLB
35 Steve Damkroger, 6-1, 221, Jr.
40 Mike Knox, 6-2, 215, Fr.

MG
74 Jeff Merrell, 6-4, 258, Jr.
59 Curt Hineline, 6-2, 244, Sr.

WLB
48 Brent Evans, 6-2, 225, Jr.
92 Jim Corbell, 6-1, 200, So.

RT
75 Henry Waechter, 6-6, 270, Sr.
99 Dave Stromath, 6-4, 250, Sr.

RE
46 Tony Felici, 6-1, 202, Jr.
86 David Ridder, 6-2, 211, So.

LC
18 Allen Lyday, 5-10, 185, Jr.
15 Ric Lindquist, 5-9, 180, Sr.

S
2 Jeff Krejci, 6-0, 178, Sr.
26 Dan Fischer, 6-1, 190, Jr.

RC
5 Rodney Lewis, 6-0, 190, Sr.
11 Neil Harris, 6-0, 190, So.

MON
6 Sammy Sims, 6-0, 190, Sr.
38 Kris Van Norman, 6-0, 197, Jr.

OFFENSE

TE
80 Jamie Williams, 6-4, 227, Jr.
84 Dan Hill, 6-3, 225, Jr.

LT
70 Jeff Kwapick, 6-3, 254, Jr.
65 Randy Theiss, 6-3, 261, Jr.

LG
68 Mike Mandelko, 6-1, 255, Jr.
71 Dean Steinkuhler, 6-3, 260, So.

C
50 Dave Rimington, 6-3, 285, Jr.
55 Brad Johnson, 6-3, 243, Jr.

RG
78 Tom Carlstrom, 6-5, 261, Sr.
69 Kurt Glathar, 6-2, 250, Jr.

RT
72 Scott Raridon, 6-4, 253, So.
73 Dan Hurley, 6-3, 272, Sr.

SE
29 Todd Brown, 6-0, 173, Jr.
88 Scott Woodard, 5-9, 168, Sr.

QB
17 Mark Mauer, 6-1, 193, Sr.
12 Turner Gill, 6-1, 195, So.

WB
33 Anthony Steels, 5-8, 185, Sr.
27 Irving Fryar, 6-0, 190, So.

FB
43 Phil Bates, 6-2, 215, Sr.
34 Doug Wilkening, 6-2, 210, So.

I-B
21 Roger Craig, 6-2, 216, Jr.
30 Mike Rozier, 5-11, 205, So.

KO & PAT
49 Kevin Seibel, 6-2, 246, Jr.
13 Eddie Neil, 5-8, 186, Jr.

P
24 Grant Campbell, 6-1, 185, Jr.
49 Kevin Seibel, 6-2, 246, Jr.

COLORADO

OFFENSE

SE
80 Ricky Ward, 5-10, 170, Sr.
15 Brad Parker, 5-11, 190, Jr.

RT
73 Bruce Alison, 6-3, 234, Sr.
68 Mike Berk, 6-4, 260, So.

RG
66 Doug Krahenbuhl, 6-1, 243, Sr.
76 William Gulley, 6-0, 250, Fr.

C
51 Rich Umphrey, 6-3, 253, Sr.
69 Mark Hasart, 6-4, 238, Jr.

LG
63 Vince Rafferty, 6-3, 245, So.
60 Ray Cone, 6-2, 221, Jr.

LT
74 Bob Sebro, 6-4, 255, Sr.
77 Mike Sylvester, 6-3, 262, So.

TE
87 Dave Hestera, 6-4, 230, So.
85 Brian Johnson, 6-8, 235, Sr.

RB
43 Derek Singleton, 5-11, 203, So.
48 Lee Rouson, 6-2, 210, Fr.

QB
16 Randy Essington, 6-3, 205, So.
13 Steve Vogel, 6-4, 192, So.

FB
42 Willie Beebe, 6-0, 220, Sr.
26 Charlie Davis, 5-11, 205, Sr.

WB
32 Walter Stanley, 5-9, 169, So.
18 Vic James, 5-11, 190, Sr.

DEFENSE

OLB
58 Dave Alderson, 6-4, 230, So.
88 Greg Willett, 6-4, 227, Sr.

RE
90 Pete Perry, 6-5, 250, Sr.
91 Donald Muncie, 6-2, 240, Fr.

ILB
59 Mark Remington, 6-2, 230, Sr.
50 Cleon Brown, 6-1, 212, Jr.

NT
54 Sandy Armstrong, 6-3, 230, So.
93 Felipe Elizando, 6-0, 260, Fr.

ILB
47 Alan Chrite, 6-2, 220, So.
65 Mike Williams, 5-11, 205, Fr.

LE
94 Mark Shoop, 6-6, 235, Jr.
71 Mark Morgan, 6-5, 240, So.

OLB
53 Kevin Hood, 6-0, 210, Jr.
49 Terry Irvin, 6-1, 202, So.

FS
46 Ellis Wood, 6-0, 183, Jr.
29 Derek Hunter, 5-10, 167, Jr.

LC
20 Rickey Bynum, 6-0, 194, Sr.
44 Clyde Riggins, 5-10, 178, So.

SS
31 Jeff Donaldson, 6-0, 189, So.
23 Dave Piepho, 5-11, 187, Fr.

RC
22 Victor Scott, 5-11, 186, So.
36 Robert Johnson, 5-10, 170, Jr.

K
1 Jerry Hamilton, 5-7, 150, Sr.
3 Tom Field, 5-11, 170, Jr.

P
6 Art Woods, 5-6, 164, Jr.